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MEMORANDUM

Date

September 13, 2010

To

Presiding Judges of the Superior Courts Court Executive Officers of the Superior Courts

Family Court Services Directors, Managers, and Supervisors

Access to Visitation Grantees and Program Directors

From

Diane Nunn, Director Center for Families, Children & the Courts

Subject

Judicial Council Access to Visitation Grant Program

Action Requested

Please Respond to Request for Proposals and Grant Application

Deadlines

- September 24 and October 7, 2010—Grant Applicants' Teleconference Workshop
- October 13, 2010—Letter of Intent
- November 15, 2010—Application for Grant Funds

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Subject to the availability of federal funds, the Judicial Council of California, Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC), Center for Families, Children & the Courts (CFCC), is pleased to announce the availability of grant funds for California's Access to Visitation Grant Program. You are invited to review and respond to the attached request for proposals (RFP) and grant application for fiscal years 2011–2012 and 2012–2013. Please note that the RFP grant application is for multiyear funding so courts should carefully assess whether to submit a proposal under this RFP because courts will not be able to apply again for funding under the grant program until fiscal year 2013–2014.

Proposals must be received at the AOC office by Monday, November 15, 2010, by 5 p.m. Applicants should ensure that any overnight methods employed will allow ample time to get the

proposal to the AOC office by the application due date. **Late applications will not be considered.**

Two workshops by teleconference will be offered for potential applicants (see RFP application). All courts planning to submit a proposal will have an opportunity to ask questions regarding this RFP and its requirements.

Subject to the availability of federal funds, approximately \$770,000 will be awarded statewide. Please review the materials and consider submitting a proposal.